

Sgt. Alvin C. York Birthplace

Sustainability Features

Eco Efforts

The park has a comprehensive recycling program that offers aluminum, plastic, and paper recycling to both visitors and staff. Current lighting upgrades will replace bulbs with high efficiency lighting.

Historical/Community Significance

The park features a home site/museum dedicated to World War I hero Seargent Alvin C. York. A mill pictured below is also on the site. The park is supported by the Sgt. York Patriotic foundation and has a large Veterans Day celebration. Another celebration is Christmas in the Valley.



Moving Forward

Expansion

Sgt. Alvin C. York Birthplace is in the process of trying to acquire a new parcel of land for a park office. In addition to the land acquisition, the park hopes to refurbish an old Bible school that is near the park.

Park Highlights

- Located in Fentress County
- Visited by over 320,000 people in 2011
- 0.5 mile trail that leads to burial site of Sgt. York
- Sgt. York's son is a Park ranger at the park



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